



Application No. 09/720,278
Response to Office Action dated May 2, 2006
Paper dated September 5, 2006
Attorney Docket No. 0702-002214

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 09/720,278
Applicants : Pieter Jacob Swart et al.
Filed : May 24, 2001
Title : PHARMACEUTICAL PREPARATIONS FOR USE IN
COMBATting OR PREVENTING SURFACE
INFECTIONS CAUSED BY MICROORGANISMS
Group Art Unit : 1654
Examiner : Roy R. Teller
Confirmation No. : 9397
Customer No. : 28989

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 2, 2006, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks. The three-month period for response expired August 2, 2006. A Petition for a one-month extension of time is filed concurrently herewith. Since September 2, 2006, fell on a Saturday, and September 4, 2006, was a federal holiday, this response is timely filed on Tuesday, September 5, 2006.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.

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